

TENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of

Yasuhiro OMURA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2851

Application No.: 09/769,832

Examiner:

R. FULLER

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For:

PROJECTION EXPOSURE APPARATUS AND METHOD, CATADIOPTRIC OPTICAL

SYSTEM AND MANUFACTURING METHOD OF DEVICES

LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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